

Daily Chronicle

City Directory.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

RELIEF LODGE, No. 108, K. of H. Meets every Friday night at Testa's Hall, corner Church and Gay Streets.
M. O. Cooley, H. D. Harvey, C. K. Reporter.

F. & A. D.

ORIENTAL LODGE, No. 133—Stated Communication upon second Thursday night of each month at Hall in Masonic Temple.
H. J. Squire, Sec'y. N. S. Woodard, W. M.

MASTER'S LODGE, No. 34—Stated Communication upon first Monday night of each month at Hall in Masonic Temple.
R. E. McCroskey, Sec'y. H. M. Allen, W. M.

PEARL CHAPTER, No. 44, R. A. M.—Stated Communication upon first Monday night of each month at Hall in Masonic Temple.
S. J. Todd, Sec'y. W. A. Galbraith, H. P.

LOURDE DE LION COMMANDERY, No. 1—Stated Communication upon second Monday night of each month. Meetings for drill upon Friday night of each week at Hall in Masonic Temple.
S. J. Todd, Sec'y. H. M. Allen, W. M.

L. O. O. F.

EAST TENNESSEE LODGE, No. 34—Meets Tuesday nights, at Odd Fellows' Hall, west side, Market Street, D. W. Lewis, Jr., N. G. & G. J. Kynatt, V. G.; R. W. Adams, R. S.; W. H. Salmon, Perm. Sec'y; J. B. Watkins, Treasurer.

TUESDAY, MAY 13, 1879.

THE LATE GEN. BROWNLOW.

The newspapers all over the Northern States have published very full and complimentary notices of the soldierly and generous qualities of the late General James Brownlow, as well as many of the Southern papers. Most of these have been from the pen of the many officers who knew him and saw him in battle, now living in different parts of the country. The *Army and Navy Gazette* has an article. The *New York Herald* also. The *Herald* says: "He was a dashing rider, a successful leader of raids, and was in every respect a gallant soldier and courteous gentleman, the idol of his men and a general favorite with his brother officers."

The *Memphis Appeal* says: "He was full of the kindly feeling and impulsive generosity which distinguished his father, Governor Brownlow."

ARE WE A NATION?

In view of the strenuous efforts of the Democratic leaders in Congress in behalf of the old and dangerous doctrine of State Sovereignty, a doctrine that has already cost this country so much blood and treasure, we may well ask ourselves the question which forms the caption to this article. The leaders of the party in power now in both Houses of Congress say we are not a nation, but merely a confederation of States—that the Federal Government has no power, except such as is conferred upon it by the States. We are not a people united under the same government, according to their theory, but thirty-eight separate governments leagued together for purposes of defense against foreign encroachment, which league is not legally binding upon any State, except as a mere matter of choice while it chooses to remain in the Union. We took occasion in our issue of last Saturday morning to express our views briefly on this subject. Our neighbor, the *Tribune*, takes issue with us, and plants himself squarely on the side of State Sovereignty. We had hoped that this question was forever settled. The champions of the States Rights theory had but little to say on the subject for a few years after the war, and we had hoped that they were ready to acquiesce in the decision made on bloody fields from 1861 to 1865. But now we see the same men in Congress who advocated this doctrine prior to 1861, and who appealed to the sword for a settlement. Then they held as the consistent, reasonable and legitimate result of conclusions reached from their standpoint and their mode of reasoning, that a State had the right to secede from the Union at will. And if their premises had been correct, or if their premises are now correct, we must admit that their conclusions are logical. But we deny the correctness of their premises, and of course do not admit the soundness of their conclusions. We believe the Federal Government, the combined voice of all the people in the whole country, is the supreme power of the land. Under the provisions of the Constitution, certain powers are delegated to the States, which powers and none other, they have a right to exercise. To place the States above the Federal Government would deprive the Government of all respect at home or abroad. The American people,

we are satisfied, do not intend to commit themselves to any such foolishness. If they had ever been so inclined, the experience of the late war precipitated by the advocates of State Sovereignty would have opened their eyes. When they again have an opportunity to speak on this question at the polls, they will put their seal of condemnation on the Democratic party which has espoused this doctrine, in a very emphatic way.

VARIETIES.

Mrs. Charles Dickens is a confirmed invalid.

Gen. Keifer delivers the address at the National Cemetery at Arlington.

Ex-Senator Patterson, of South Carolina, is laying street car tracks in Baltimore.

Representative Briggs, the classic man, will deliver the address at Antietam on Decoration Day.

Heiser, the Boston billiard player, is making a record of 100 consecutive points at French carom, the highest run ever made.

Rev. Lawrence S. McMahon, of Providence, R. I., has been appointed by the Pope, Bishop of Hartford, and the Rev. John Virtin, of Neagunee, Michigan, Bishop of Marquette, Michigan.

The American admirers of Tom Paine have decided to erect a colossal statue of him at St. Louis, and Col. Bob Ingersoll will go there and deliver a series of lectures to raise funds for that purpose.

The cricket match between the English and American teams at Hoboken, resulted in a defeat for the latter by a innings and 114 runs. The total scores were: Americans, first innings 84; second innings 55; Englishmen, first innings 233.

The Boston *Herald* thinks that Superintendent Kiddie ought to be turned out of office, "not because he is a spiritualist, but because he exhibited such poor judgment in accepting twaddle and bosh as the emanations of great minds."

The *Utica (N. Y.) Herald*, of Thursday, says: "Sixty-five years ago, yesterday, the British captured Oswego. Hon. Alvin Brinson, aged ninety-six, now living, is the last surviving man of the five hostages taken to Kingston by Gen. Sir George Gordon Drummond."

Prof. Felix Adler says there are times when it is absolutely wrong to tell the truth. After a long and eventful newspaper life we have come to the same conclusion. When a man comes in and demands, "Who wrote that article?" then the man in the office ought never to tell the truth—if he wrote it.

The large allegation that for many years has been a terror in the millpond at Darlington, S. C., was captured recently by a negro. The creature measured, from head to tail, twelve feet. When cut open, his stomach was found to contain pieces of wood, fish nets, hickory-nuts, pieces of cast iron resembling pot ware and great wads of hog's bristles.

The founder of the College Society Alpha Delta Phi was Samuel Ellis, who started the chapter at Hamilton College in 1832. He was a man of rare promise, was a partner of Salmon P. Chase, and although but thirty-two years old, he had reached a foremost rank at the Cincinnati bar. Of the original members, but one survives—Othniel Williams, of Clinton, N. Y.

"Always Owned that Calf."

New York Tribune.

Senator Chandler has enriched the Republican vocabulary with a phrase which will not be forgotten very soon. He says that when the North put upon the South the robe of citizenship, and killed the fatted calf, and invited the prodigal sons to the feast, the South came forward with the calm remark—"We have always owned that calf, and we are not grateful for the feast."

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For JUNE.

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